

BELLOWS FALLS NEWS.

Electric Railroad.

The electric railroad is at present dead, so to speak. All work has been suspended and the outlook now is not promising for a year at least. It is even possible that nothing will be done towards accomplishing the desired end. The stoppage is, perhaps erroneously, attributed to the financial situation, together with the death of the president of the company. But if the electric railroad plan should not be carried out, Bel lows Falls has reached its limit in size. It is well known that there is now but little land in the village available for building, and that little is held at such high figures that only the rich can buy it. Therefore, the only alternative, if Bel lows Falls would grow, is to embrace the outlying territory which would necessarily have to be reached by cable or horse cars or electric railroad. By such an arrangement, workmen could buy land at reasonable rates, and yet could reach their places of employment here in time for their morning work. There is as yet room for a number of mills along the river and near the railroad. Strange, indeed, it is to think that such a project should fall through because the first leader has died. Is there not in Bel lows Falls a man who can see the great need of this undertaking, and is willing to enter into the spirit of it and carry it through? Surely Bel lows Falls has a number of such men, and will not one of them come forward and fill the now vacant position?

New Buildings and Improvements.

A number of new dwellings are being constructed and old buildings repaired. Both of these departures we are pleased to note, as it signifies progress, which must necessarily be slow in a village situated as Bel lows Falls is, bounded on one side by a lofty mountain, on the other by a hill of almost sufficient size to be called a mountain, and hemmed around by a river. Among the new dwellings which have come under our personal observation are: S. S. Coolidge's and Mrs. Helen Jackson's on Cherry street; Clark Chase's on Chase court; Samuel Fleming's on Rockingham street, south of Page's dye house; a cellar is also being dug for another cottage for Mr. Fleming; the priest's house, also on Cherry street. The latter is to be an excellent building; the walls are brick, being built around a wooden frame. There are to be two extra large windows, one the so-called horse-shoe window, being in the shape of the article which it is named. Its diameter is 84 feet. There are but few in this vicinity, two in the library at Vermont Academy, and also in the library in Chester. The other large window is six feet square. Both windows are to have panes of plate glass. The building will not be ready for occupation for some time yet, but the work is being excellently done.

The logs have passed.

The Times employees had their annual outing at Sunapee lake Saturday.

It is reported that the Boston & Maine cars are to be lighted with gas soon.

New boilers and an engine are being placed in Wyman Flint & Son's paper mill. Rev. Mr. Spencer of Montpelier took the place of Rev. Mr. Dwyer at the Methodist church last Sunday.

As the reservoir at Minard's pond is to be cleaned next Sunday, the entire water supply will be shut off at 9 o'clock A. M. Elmer Smith barely escaped losing a number of fingers at Osgood & Barker's machine shop recently. As it was his last one or two finger-nails.

The Marshall Wardner house on Henry street has been remodeled and painted. It is now owned by C. F. Tracy, of the firm of Stone, Tuxbury & Co.

Services are to be held in Bartonville and vicinity as follows: Sunday at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. in Bartonville, and every evening after Monday, throughout the week, at Rockingham.

As Sunapee is the resort of resorts for Bel lows Falls people, so Warren's pond is the rendezvous of Sunday school picnics. The Baptist Sunday school held their annual picnic there Wednesday.

Workmen are now busy placing the poles and stringing the wires for the long-distance telephone between this place and Rutland and Burlington, and through connections will soon be established.

John Burns, having been called to Minneapolis by the serious illness of his uncle, started for that city yesterday. He will be gone about two months. He had intended to make the trip later in the season.

A second band concert was given at Morgan's park last evening. It is the intention of the band to give one every week throughout the rest of the summer, if sufficient support is given. An excellent program was rendered.

Friday morning a dense burst, washing out the foundation of one mill, and causing five mills to close and nine machines to be shut down for two or three days. After the damage had been repaired, the mills resumed work as usual.

C. C. Plimpton, who has for some time past been working for E. W. Gove, has entered the employ of W. S. Dunham. He will run a cart to Saxtons River two days a week, Tuesday and Friday, and other days will perform the same work in this village.

The Sunday train question, to Sunapee, has not the same fate as the closing of the World's Fair gates on Sunday. The railroad officials have given as their reasons that they do not wish to issue another set of new time-tables, and they would have to procure another set of men to manage the train.

Clark Chase's store window has been the centre of attraction this week. It contains some artistic china wares, on which are pictures of the "Four Princes" and Vermont Academy. They make a very pretty and attractive souvenir of these places. They were made in Germany.

Among those from this place who are at Sunapee lake are: Mrs. J. H. Chipman and daughter Fannie, accompanied by the Misses Clara and May Baldwin, at George Bacon's cottage; Miss Alice Bean is spending a few days with Miss Susie Thompson; Mrs. Charles Williams and daughter at C. W. Labaree's cottage; H. F. King and family; Mrs. W. O. Kemp and family; Rev. D. L. Sanford and family.

A slight fire occurred Sunday afternoon, in a shed on Kerry avenue. No damage was done, as the fire companies responded very quickly to the alarm, and it was due to their promptness that the result was not disastrous. The shed was so situated that if the fire had gained any headway, much damage might have been done before the flames subsided. If the firemen are not in trim for racing, they perform their work expeditiously, and in a manner highly acceptable to the public.

The Boston Journal of Tuesday contained a two column article in regard to Col. Wm. A. H. Silway, who recently went from here. Mr. and Mrs. Silway are living in a small tenement in an undesirable quarter in that city, and as Col. Silway is unable to secure work, the Journal states that they must starve or go to the poor house. The Journal relates the interesting facts regarding the colonel's war record, including the story of how he saved the life of President Lincoln, entered Richmond as a Union spy, etc.

WESTMINSTER WEST.

Edward R. Hall.

In the death of Edward R. Hall the community has lost another of its best known and most valued citizens. In the early part of the winter he had a fall from an apple tree, while engaged in trimming his orchard. It is believed that he suffered an injury at that time which eventually resulted in an effusion of blood upon the brain. He became seriously ill in May and gradually declined, until his death on July 15. He lived for a time upon the farm now owned by Will Dunham, but eventually bought his father's farm just west of the village, where he had lived for many years. He married Miss Ellen N. Buxton, who died suddenly of apoplexy about four years ago. He leaves two sons, Herbert E. Hall of Springfield, Mass., and Willis H. Hall of Cambridge, Mass. They were both able to be with their father much of the time during his illness. There is no one of the family to take the farm, and it will doubtless pass into other hands in due time. The community and the church can ill afford to lose so many of their ablest members, with few or none to fill their places, but such is the way the tide rapidly runs.

Personal.

P. L. Kimball spent Sunday at Sunapee. Miss Mary Nutting is in West Randolph. Eugene S. Leonard returned from Chicago Monday.

W. S. Dunham went to Concord, N. H., Tuesday on business.

Mrs. W. H. Clark and children are visiting at E. P. Kidder's.

Capt. William H. Taylor and family are visiting in Danbury, Conn.

Miss May Stuart started for Chicago and the World's Fair Wednesday.

F. H. Babbitt is spending his two weeks' vacation in New Brunswick.

Alfred Fields took a trip to Sunapee Saturday, for a few days' stay.

Mrs. Ellison Burr and her daughter of Worcester are visiting at C. E. Howard's.

A. R. Slader and family of Providence, R. I., former residents, are in town for a visit.

Miss Myrtle Barrao of Keene has been the guest of Mrs. Albert Brigham for the past week.

H. D. Ryder has been in Boston this week investigating the matter of second assistant in the High school.

J. T. Keefe is in Chicago. This adds one more to the large number of Bel lows Falls people who have already patronized the fair.

Mr. Olmstead, who has been the guest of C. Herbert Osgood for a few weeks, is the leader of the Amherst Glee club. He sang a solo at the Congregational church last Sunday evening, which, in our judgment, was exceptionally rendered.

CAMBRIDGEPORT.

D. F. Cushing, jr., of Boston is home for a short visit.

David Stevens spent Sunday with his son, F. D. Stevens.

Frank Moore of Boston called on some of his old friends last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Eastman go to Saratoga next week to spend a few days.

Fred A. Smith lost one of his pair of valuable black horses last Thursday.

Arthur Thrasher of Turners Falls, Mass., is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Cynthia Thrasher.

The annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held next Thursday afternoon in the chapel.

SAXTONS RIVER.

Mrs. Dea. Snow is now at home.

Dr. Clark returned Monday from Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. John Eastman on Thursday go to Saratoga, N. Y.

There will be vespers services in the church in the evening at 7:30.

Dr. E. H. Pettengill attends a medical meeting at Hanover, N. H., today.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Waterman from Plantsville, Conn., are guests at the Clough's.

Miss Laura Miller of North Brookfield, Mass., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. Ballou.

Mrs. Maynard and son from Worcester, Mass., passed a few days with Mrs. Ella Walker.

Rev. H. Ballou will occupy the pulpit at the Congregational church next Sunday by exchange.

Our abundant rains are most welcome and delightful, save to the farmers who have grass cut.

The hay crop will be above the average in this region. Farmers are well along with their haying, many having finished.

Dea. J. Ramsey has been obliged to lay new pipe two-thirds of the way in repairing his water supply on Westminster street.

Dr. and Mrs. Campbell on Tuesday were called to Lowell, Mass., on account of the illness of their grandchild. They returned on Thursday leaving the child much improved.

Miss H. Martin of Chelsea, Mass., and Miss A. Teale of Somerville, Mass., Wellesley college friends of Mrs. Ballou, after a visit of several days with Mrs. H. Ballou, left Tuesday.

The lecture, "An hour with the poets," by C. E. Hawkes, on Wednesday evening, was well received. The ice cream and cake provided by the young people gave a delightful flavor to the evening's entertainment.

WESTMINSTER.

Mrs. Rollin Ranney is in Fitchburg this week.

Johnnie Leach is at his father's, John Leach's, after a five years' absence.

Mrs. B. T. Phelps is in New London, Conn., taking a vacation for her health.

Windham County Pomona grange held here yesterday.

Quite a party from here are at Lake Warren this week, and a large party go to Sunapee next week.

Visitors in town are Joel Holton of Burlington at F. I. Lane's, Mrs. Woodward of Somerville at Judge Stoddard's, and Mrs. Clarence Jackson and children at her mother's, Mrs. Ira Smith's.

We have had three thunder showers this week up to Thursday morning. We think the professor was right who predicted unusual electrical disturbances this season on account of so many spots on the sun. We wonder if there were ever known to be as many in the same length of time and if any one has kept the count.

A thunder shower came up Sunday noon accompanied by hail, doing considerable damage, but it struck in a narrow vein some half mile in width going diagonally from west to east. As it happened the large pieces of tobacco were not in the limit and escaped entirely. The hail could have been scraped up by the bushel after the shower.

Rheumatism Cured in a Day.

"Mystic Cure" for Rheumatism and Neuralgia radically cures in 24 to 36 hours. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly lessens the pain. Sold by Geo. E. Greene, druggist, Brattleboro.

LATE NEWS.

George R. Foster of St. Albans Fatally Shot.

George R. Foster of St. Albans was attempting to shoot a cat yesterday afternoon, when his 44-calibre revolver was accidentally discharged. The ball passed entirely through Mr. Foster's brain. He is alive but his recovery is not expected.

France to Blockade Siamese Ports.

France has given notice of its intention to blockade Siamese ports. The general expectation is that early in August the French fleet will attack Bangkok, and land some 5000 men. There is little doubt that France's purpose is to make Siam a French colony. The Siamese government is exceedingly anxious to avoid open warfare.

A Fake Borden Story.

There was a shock in newspaper circles yesterday afternoon when an Associated Press despatch was sent out from Taunton, Mass., saying that Miss Lizzie Borden was in Taunton jail, having voluntarily surrendered herself to Sheriff Wright. The story proved to be a first-class fake. Miss Borden merely came to the jail to make a visit on the wife of the jailer who treated her so kindly during her long imprisonment.

Suicide of Cashier Francis of Pittsfield, Mass.

Cashier E. S. Francis of the Pittsfield, Mass., national bank, who has been the subject of much unpleasant newspaper talk recently and who resigned his position Monday, committed suicide yesterday by shooting. As cashier he permitted friends to overdraw their accounts, engaged in outside speculation for himself and other persons, and was interested more or less in some schemes which were pronounced of a wildcat nature. Mr. Francis has been connected with the bank for many years and was held in the highest esteem in Pittsfield. The bank has been subjected to a special examination and pronounced in good condition.

A Botched Execution.

Wm. B. Taylor, colored, was executed by electricity yesterday at the Auburn, N. Y., state prison for a murder committed a year ago. The execution was marked by a horrible feature, the first shock not proving fatal, simply throwing him into a comatose state, from which he began to recover. The apparatus failed to respond to a second touch of the lever and it was found that the dynamo was broken. Repairs were made and nearly an hour later Taylor was again placed in the chair and his execution completed. Taylor's relatives live at Woodstock and he was formerly coachman for the Tuttle family of Rutland. He killed a guard in the prison who had revealed the plot of prisoners to escape.

When Vermont Money is Discounted.

[From the Woodstock Standard.] Vermont is ahead in the dairy contest at the World's Fair, as she was in competing against the world at the Paris exposition. Vermont butter, Vermont cheese, Vermont Jersey, Vermont horses, Vermont marble, Vermont men, Vermont women, are never at a discount in any market. Vermont money is discounted only when invested in western securities.

Not Dependent upon Silver.

[From the St. Johnsbury Republican.] Colorado has other fish to fry besides silver. Its farm products have already run up to \$60,000,000 a year, its cattle product to \$34,000,000, its coal product to \$55,000,000, and its manufacturing product to 70,000,000, though but a tenth of the land is under cultivation, while the entire metal output of the state, according to the last census, was only \$50,000,000.

Sleeping on Their Arms.

[From the Spectator.] What a wonderful spectacle it is that Europe now presents! Her population claims a sort of monopoly in civilization, yet outside of England every nation has reached the limit of its endurance in preparing for a war which nevertheless does not arrive. The surplus energy and money of the whole continent is devoted to keeping up a security which is nowhere felt to be quite sufficient, yet is nowhere overtly threatened—which, indeed, is guaranteed by profuse professions of peaceable intentions.

Obituary—Mrs. Abigail R. Moore of Brookside, Newfare.

Mrs. Abigail Knowlton Moore, who has been a patient sufferer for many months, died at her home at an early hour Saturday morning and was buried Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Moore was born in Rowe, Mass., April 22, 1808, and came to this town to live in the age of 22, where she has since resided. She was possessed of a bright intellect, which, with her sweet disposition and rare good judgment, won for her a wide circle of friends, by whom she was familiarly known as "Aunt Abigail."

To gain strength—Hood's Sarsaparilla.

For steady nerves—Hood's Sarsaparilla. For pure blood—Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Hall's Hair Renewer contains the natural food and color matter for the hair, and medicinal herbs for the scalp, curing baldness, dandruff and scalp sores.

Their gentle action and good effect on the system really make them the best of all the hair and scalp preparations which you use. Their Little Liver Pills may well be termed, "Perfection."

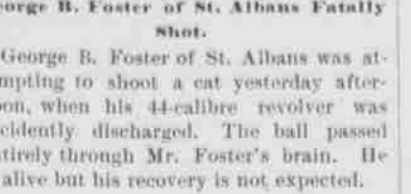
Simple diet is best, for many dishes bring many diseases.—PLINY.

FOR BREAKFAST TO-MORROW TRY FOULES' WHEAT GERM MEAL. Grocers Everywhere Sell it.

WHEAT GERM is simply the germ and gluten of wheat—that's all.

Gluten makes bone—muscle—sinew. It's the ideal food for children who play hard and study hard.

THE KIND THAT CURES



"Worked Like a Charm!"

"I FEEL LIKE A NEW MAN!" WE DON'T IMPORT TESTIMONIALS FROM CANADA LIKE SOME SASSAPARILLA MANUFACTURERS, WE CAN PROVE IT! New England just as well as in Canada. DANA'S SARSAPARILLA CO. GENTLEMEN—I have used six bottles of DANA'S SARSAPARILLA, and I feel like a new man. I was ailing and completely played out. I could not sleep. I took two bottles, and I felt like a new man. This winter I was with "La Grippe," and as soon as I could get out I commenced on DANA'S SARSAPARILLA. The truth of the above is certified to by J. VEARN, Druggist, Dana Sarsaparilla Co., Belfast, Maine.

MAY & CROWN,

Farms and Village Property.

Farm 135 acres one-half mile from Newfane village. Brick house, one story with seven good rooms, one barn, 30 by 40; good horse barn. This place will keep 10 cows the year round; sugar and apple orchard. There is a good wood and timber lot \$800; dollars worth can be sold, then have enough for home use, \$1000. Price \$2500.

Residence in Barnardston, Mass., No. 770. One and one-half acres. Situated on South Main street. Fine two story, ten large rooms. Good barn; buildings all slated. All kinds of fruit. Price \$1000.

No. 794. Thirty acres; one mile from a smart village and county seat, good cottage house, horse barn and cattle barn, all painted, nice meadow brook for ducks and geese, and a fine place to raise poultry; keeps four cows and team. Price, \$1100.

Cottage house on South Main street, has been built four years, 10 rooms, good large garden, nice water. This is a bargain. Price, \$900.

MAY & CROWN.

New Goods!

DINNER SETS, TOILET SETS, GLASS WARE

And many other new goods we have not space to mention. Will surely please you both in quality and price. "Call."

"LITTLE 38."

ALL PERSONS are hereby forbidden to harbor or conceal any person guilty of any crime, or to aid or abet such person in any way. WILLIAM O. DAVIS, Jamaica, July 19, 1893.

FOR RENT.

Two single rooms, second floor front. Hooker street. The rooms to be rented separately or together. Apply to E. W. Pease.

Railroads.

VERMONT VALLEY RAILROAD

On and after June 25, 1893, trains on this road as follows: For all points north at 8:45, 11:10 A. M., 2:18, 5:25, 10:30 P. M. The 8:45 A. M. train is accommodation for Windham and White River Junction. The 11:10 A. M. train is mail train for Montpelier, St. Albans, Rutland, Burlington, Montreal and the Passumpsic road. The 2:18 P. M. train is the White Mountain, Montreal and Quebec express. The 10:30 P. M. train is mail train for White River Junction and Rutland. The 10:30 P. M. train is express for Montreal, Sherbrooke and Quebec, with sleeping cars attached. This train runs daily (Sundays to Montreal only). Going north trains arrive at Brattleboro from Bel lows Falls and points north at 5:25 A. M. (night express); 9:20 A. M. (mail); 1:40 P. M. (White Mountain express); 5:20 P. M. (mail); 9:27 P. M. (Montreal and New York day express). All trains make close connections with Boston & Albany railroad, both East and West of Springfield. H. E. HOWARD, Supt.

MARKET REPORTS.

BOSTON, July 26.—Sales yesterday in the butter market were on the basis of 21 to 21 1/2 cents per pound for first class Western creamery and 22 cents for Northern. The egg market is both dull and active. It is dull for most of the Western lots arriving, which rule at 14 1/2 to 15 cents. The day market is almost wholly in buyers' favor. Outside of an occasional fancy egg from New York and Canada, which is worth \$10 to \$20 per ton, the sales rule at \$16 to \$17, with common at \$14 to \$15.

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